Visa-on-Arrival Facility

5314. SHRI VIJAY J. DARDA: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Sri Lanka has extended its 'Visa-on-arrival' facility to India;

(b) if so, the name of the other countries which have extended similar facility to India; and

(c) the names of the countries to whom India has extended such facility?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI OMAR ABDULLAH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) As per the information available with the Government, fourteen other countries extend similar facility to Indian Nationals. The names of the fourteen countries are given in the Statement (*See* below).

(c) No such facility has been extended by India to any country.

Statement

List of countries which extend 'Visa on Arrival' facility to Indians in addition to Sri Lanka

1. Fiji
2. Maldives
3. Laos
4. Uganda
5. Rwanda
6. Burundi
7. Cambodia
8. Jamaica
9. Madagascar
10. Comoros
11. Azerbaizan
12. Thailand
13. Kenya
14. Samoa